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Pays Quarterly Lottery Money to California Schools

Sacramento, October 3, 2002 – State Controller Kathleen Connell has issued \$213 million to California schools and other education programs from the State's Lottery Education Fund. The money represents Lottery income and unclaimed prizes for the quarter ended June 30, 2002.

"Lottery proceeds are an important source of income for our schools," said Controller Connell. "I am pleased to be able to make these payments to help improve education for California's students."

Lottery funds are paid to school districts, educational institutions and State agencies providing specialized education programs. Under Proposition 20, passed by voters in March 2000, a percentage of these funds must be used directly for instructional materials. That amount is broken out in the chart below.

Each county's treasurer will distribute money to school districts. Funds for the University of California and Hastings College of Law are sent directly to those institutions. The funds for state departments are deposited directly into their accounts.

The money will be divided as follows:

	Non Prop-20	Prop 20
K-12	\$86,370,615.00	\$89,922,463.05
Community Colleges	14,689,434.87	15,292,700.86
California State University	3,963,981.30	
University of California	2,336,267.88	
Hastings College of the Law	16,344.12	
Dept. of Youth Authority	69,264.69	
Dept. of Education – State Special Schools	14,161.26	
Dept. of Developmental Services	265,639.70	
Dept. of Mental Health	59,128.06	
Total	\$107,784,836.88	\$105,215,163.91

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Detailed quarterly payment data and annual summary data since fiscal year 1985-86 are available on the State Controller's web site at www.sco.ca.gov/ard/payments/lottery/.